·NEW HOUSING PROGRAMS· FIRST-TIME HOMEBUYER AND MINOR HOME REPAIR

·FIRST-TIME HOMEBUYER LOAN PROGRAM·

Carlsbad's First-Time Homebuyer Program provides loans for down payment and closing cost assistance for up to 5% of the home sale price to households making up to 80% of the Area Median Income. (See chart below.)

Households are most likely to be eligible for program assistance if they pay at least \$1,000 to \$1,200 in rent and have a reasonable credit rating. Homes must be located in Carlsbad and a homebuyer education course must be completed to be eligible. Maximum loan amount is 5% of the home purchase price up to \$20,000. Other restrictions apply.

Contact Community HousingWorks at 619-282-6647 or go to www.chworks.org for more information.

MAXIMUM HOUSEHOLD INCOME FOR PROGRAM ELIGIBILITY

Household	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Size								
Maximum								
Annual	\$46,250	\$52,900	\$59,500	\$66,100	\$71,400	\$76,700	\$81,950	\$87,250
Income								

·MINOR HOME REPAIR LOANS·

Another new housing program being offered is a loan program designed to enhance the safety and security of owner-occupied single-family homes within the City of Carlsbad. Loans are being offered at zero interest and will be forgiven after 5 years. Eligible households must meet the income limits described in the above chart.

Examples of eligible improvements include: installation of wheelchair ramps, grab bars, levers, and railing; fix leaking plumbing and faucets; replace defective water heaters; and even restoration of unsafe electrical wiring throughout a residence.

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